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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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AMERICAN STEAMSHIP OWNERS : CASE NO. 04 Civ. 04309 (LAK)

**MUTUAL PROTECTION AND** 

INDEMNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.,

Honorable Lewis A. Kaplan, U.S.D.J.

Plaintiff,

: DEFENDANT GEORGIA-PACIFIC

**CORPORATION'S ANSWER** against

ALCOA STEAMSHIP CO., INC. AND THE OTHER ENTITIES LISTED ON **EXHIBIT A HERETO,** 

Defendants.

Georgia-Pacific Corporation (GP)<sup>1</sup> files its Answer to Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint as follows:

Responding to the specific allegations in Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint (hereafter "Plaintiff's Complaint"), GP states as follows:

<sup>1</sup> The Plaintiff incorrectly lists the Defendants on Exhibit "A" of its Second Amended Complaint to include "Georgia-Pacific Corp.", which is not a correctly named entity.

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# **Introduction and Background**

1.

As GP was not a member of the American Club during the Insurance Years commencing on February 20, 1977 or February 20, 1978, or for the Insurance Years preceding February 20, 1985, the allegations directed to those Defendants who were members during those years are not directed at GP and therefore require no response. In response to the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 1 of Plaintiff's Complaint, GP admits that it paid assessments to the American Steamship Owners Manual Protection and Indemnity Association, Inc. ("the Club" or the "American Club") for claims "incurred but not reported" (IBNR), but it otherwise denies the remaining allegations.

2.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 2 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

3.

GP admits that the Club is a non profit mutual indemnity association and that the members provide indemnity insurance to each other by paying premiums and assessments under the members' policies. GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity as to the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 3 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

4.

GP admits that it was assessed final amounts or given a refund for the various Insurance Years for which it is insured with the Club, and it admits that with regard to each of the policy years for which it has insurance with the Club, the Insurance Years have been closed. GP is otherwise without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 4 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

5.

As GP was not a member of the American Club during the Insurance Years between 1946 and 1976, it is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 5 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

6.

GP admits that the American Club cannot recover any further assessments from GP (or other members) for closed Insurance Years, but it denies that the members cannot obtain further funds from the American Club, if necessary, to be indemnified under their insurance policies ("the Policies") with the Club.

7.

GP admits that, after an Insurance Year is closed, the Club (including members from open years) has an obligation to indemnify the closed year's members for claims arising under their policies with the Club. GP denies the allegations contained in the second sentence of Paragraph 7 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

8.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 8 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 9 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

10.

GP admits that the American Club began to assess \$100,000 for IBNR claims with regard to Insurance Years during which GP was issued its Policies by the Club, but GP is otherwise without sufficient knowledge or information to admit or deny the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 10 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

11.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 11 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

12.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 12 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

13.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 13 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **The Parties**

14.

GP admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 14 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP admits that it is a corporation, and that it is incorporated in the State of Georgia. GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 15, to the extent they are directed at the other Defendants. GP admits, with regard to the Insurance Years at issue in the Complaint, that it was a member of the American Club for insurance years 1985 86, 1986 87, 1987 88, and 1988 89.

#### **Jurisdiction and Venue**

16.

GP admits to the allegations contained in Paragraph 16 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

17.

GP admits to the allegations contained in Paragraph 17 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### Managing the Club

18.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 18 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

19.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth of falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 19 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth of falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 20 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

21.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth of falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 21 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

22.

GP is otherwise without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 22 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

23.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 23 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

## **Insurance Policies**

24.

GP admits that the American Club issued one year assessable marine protection and indemnity insurance policies to GP for certain Insurance Years ("GP's Policies").

#### **Mutuality – Contingent Liability for Assessment of All Insurance Costs**

25.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 25 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP admits that the Policies issued to GP before February 20, 1989 contain the "Assessability" provision quoted in Paragraph 26 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

27.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 27 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

28.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 28 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **Other Relevant Policy Provisions**

29.

To the extent that the allegations contained in Paragraph 29 of Plaintiff's Complaint are directed at GP, it admits that GP's Policies, during the relevant time period, contain these provisions. GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations with regard to other members' policies.

30.

GP admits that GP's Policies at issue in this action (for the Insurance Years 1985 86 through 1988 89) address the "sum insured" and the Policy's "deductible" but GP denies that each such Policy identified this information through endorsements. GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of these allegations, to the extent directed at the other members.

31.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 31 of Plaintiff's Complaint, with regard to the policies of other members. With regard to GP's Policies at issue, GP denies that each such policy commenced on the 20<sup>th</sup> of February, but it admits that they ran through the 20<sup>th</sup> of February for the following year.

32.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 32 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **Regulating the Club**

33.

GP admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 33 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

34.

GP admits the allegations in Paragraph 34 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

35.

GP admits the allegations in Paragraph 35 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

36.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 36 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 37 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

## **Notification of Claims**

38.

GP admits the allegations contained in Paragraph 38 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

39.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 39 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### "Closing" Insurance Years

40.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 40 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

41.

GP is without sufficient information to form a belief as to the truth of falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 41 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

42.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 42 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

With regard to the pertinent years for which Policies were issued to GP, GP admits that these Insurance Years were typically closed within ten years after the Policy period. GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 43 of Plaintiff's Complaint, to the extent that they apply to Insurance Years preceding 1985.

44.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 44 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **Assertion of Late Manifesting Occupational Injury Claims**

45.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 45 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

46.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 46 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **The Club's Discretionary Practices**

47.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 47 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 48 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

49.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 49 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

50.

GP admits that an annual reserve of \$100,000 was established for possible IBNR occupational disease claims, for certain Insurance Years during which GP was issued its Policies by the Club. GP is otherwise without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 50 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

51.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 51 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

52.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 52 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 53 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

54.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in Paragraph 54 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

55.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained in the first sentence of Paragraph 55 of Plaintiff's Complaint. GP denies the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 55 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

56.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 56 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

57.

GP admits that the Board of Directors resolved that the Club would no longer indemnify occupational disease claims occurring in closed Insurance Years for present and former Club Members. GP denies the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 57 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

### **Other Issues in Dispute**

58.

GP is without sufficient knowledge or information to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the remaining allegations contained in Paragraph 58 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

59.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 59 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

60.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 60 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

61.

The "retroactive partial modification" of the Discretionary Practice described in Paragraph 61 of Plaintiff's Complaint has not been demanded by GP, and therefore this allegation does not appear to apply to GP or require a response.

#### **FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION**

### **Declaratory Judgment**

# (Response to Allegations that The Club is Entitled to Terminate The Discretionary Practice)

62.

GP incorporates by reference its responses to the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 61.

GP is without sufficient information to admit or deny the allegations contained in Paragraph 63 of Plaintiff's Complaint, to the extent directed at GP.

64.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 64 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

#### **SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION**

(Alternative Declaratory Judgment)

# (Response to Action to Restore Mutuality)

65.

GP incorporates by reference its responses to the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 64.

66.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 66 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

67.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 67 of Plaintiff's Complaint, to the extent directed at GP.

68.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 68 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

#### THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

(Further Alternative Declaratory Judgment)

# (Response to Allegations Regarding Allocation of Claims and Application of Multiple **Deductibles**)

69.

GP incorporates by reference its responses to the allegations contained in Paragraphs 1 68.

70.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 70 of Plaintiff's Complaint.

71.

GP denies the allegations contained in Paragraph 71 of Plaintiff's Complaint, to the extent directed at GP.

72.

To the extent that GP has not responded to any other allegation in Plaintiff's Complaint, including its request for declaratory and other relief, GP denies the allegations and the Plaintiff's requests for relief.

#### FIRST DEFENSE

Plaintiff's Complaint may be barred under the doctrines of waiver and/or estoppel.

## **SECOND DEFENSE**

Plaintiff's claims are barred under the terms of GP's Policies with the American Club.

### THIRD DEFENSE

GP can no longer be subject to assessments with regard to the Insurance Years at issue since those years were closed.

### FOURTH DEFENSE

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The Plaintiff's claims may be barred to the extent it failed to establish adequate reserves or determine and levy the sufficient assessments with regard to potential future (incurred but not reported) claims arising under the Policy Years at issue.

## FIFTH DEFENSE

Plaintiff's Complaint fails to state a claim against GP upon which relief can be granted.

### **SIXTH DEFENSE**

Plaintiff has failed to join indispensable parties.

# **SEVENTH DEFENSE**

Plaintiff's claims for relief are precluded by the equitable doctrine of laches.

## EIGHTH DEFENSE

Plaintiff's claims for relief are precluded by the statute of limitations.

WHEREFORE, GP respectfully requests that this Court enter an Order in favor of GP, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems just.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on October 8, 2004, I caused a copy of the within Defendant Georgia-Pacific Corporation's Answer and Rule 7.1 Disclosure Statement to be sent via regular First Class Mail to Lawrence J. Bowles, Esq., Nourse & Bowles, LLP, One Exchange Plaza at 55 Broadway, New York, NY 10006 (Attorneys for Plaintiff), and to all parties of record on the attached service list.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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